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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Petropoulos *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 5338

Serial No.: 09/874,475

Art Unit: 1648

Filed: June 4, 2001

Examiner: U. Winkler

For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR
EVALUATING VIRAL RECEPTOR/CO-
RECEPTOR USAGE AND INHIBITORS
OF VIRUS ENTRY USING
RECOMBINANT VIRUS ASSAYS

Attorney Docket No: 011068-052-999

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants have carefully considered the final Office Action mailed October 14, 2003, in connection with the above-captioned patent application. Applicants kindly request reconsideration of the claims in light of the amendments and remarks that follow. Filed herewith are:

- (1) *Exhibit A*, showing Tables I-III as originally filed;
- (2) an Amendment Fee Transmittal sheet;
- (3) a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136 extending the period for responding by three months from January 14, 2004, to and including April 14, 2004;
- (4) an Information Disclosure Statement; and
- (5) a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2;

Amendments to the specification begin on page 10; and

Remarks begin on page 13.



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FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$0.00.

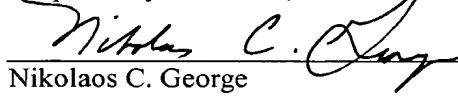
The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

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TOTAL						\$	0.00	OR	TOTAL \$

No fee is believed to be due other than for an extension of time, which is submitted concurrently herewith. Should any other fees be required, please charge such fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: April 13, 2004

Respectfully submitted,


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Enclosure